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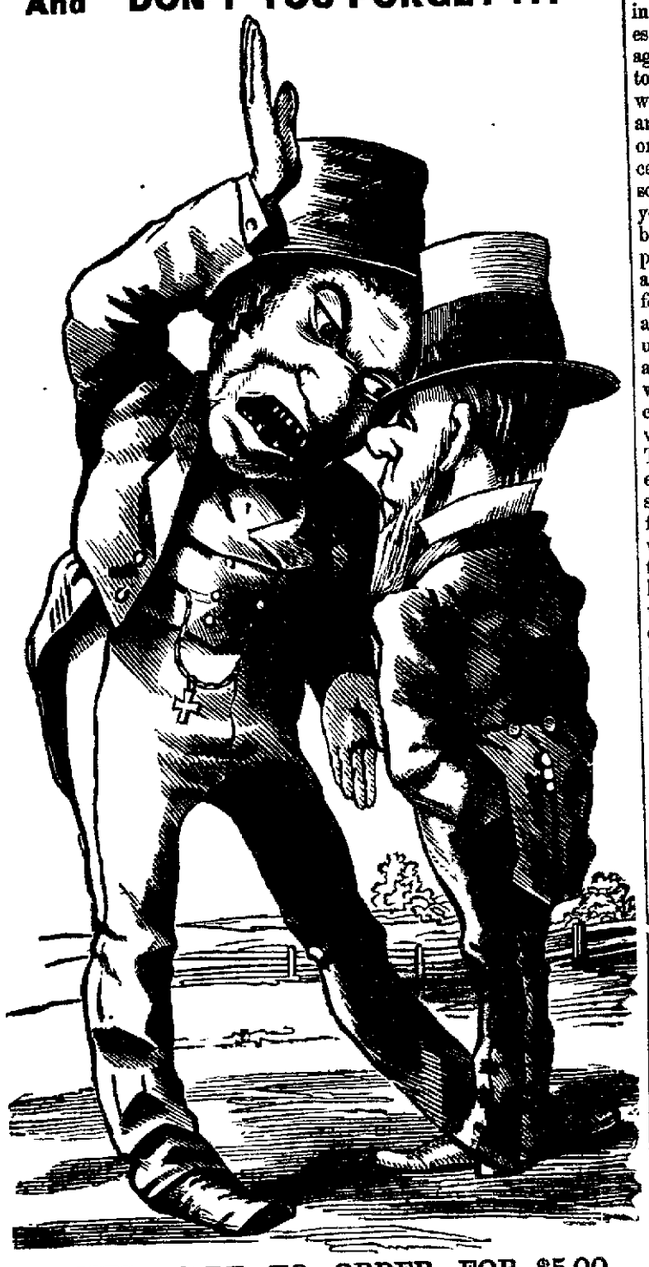

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Get a ticket to draw the $50 Government Bond.

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April 7, 1880—d&wtf

FREEMAN BROS.

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Boots and Shoes!

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NO. 8 MERCHANT STREET,

Two Doors North Linn & Scruggs.

Decatur, Ill., May 15, 1879—d&wtf

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Garr Scott & Co., and against Abner B. Bacon, George P. Bacon and Richard F Paine, I have levied upon the following described real estate, to-wit. The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section eleven (11), township sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M., in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said defendants, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

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Mrs. Grindel, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.

March 5—dtf

If you are going to Chicago, stop at Mrs. M. E. Willeaburg's boarding house at 46 South Sangamon street, where you will be furnished every accommodation at $1 and $2 per day.

Dec. 23—d&wtf

Cabin Zig-zag tobacco, clear Kentucky white filler. dtf

Cash Does the Business.

We buy for cash, buy cheap, sell on low margins, try to get the best made and most durable goods that we can find, try to please our customers, never make any misrepresentations knowingly, always willing to correct mistakes, want your trade Come and see us, we are always glad to see old friends and make new ones

BARBER & BAKER

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100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, the corn to be delivered at D. S Shellabarger & Co's mill [Nov. 18—d&wtf

Go to Dr A. J. Stoner, south side City Park, for Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequalled—Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents

Feb. 28—dtf

NEW and handsome Ingrain and Brussels Carpets, just received by Linn & Scruggs d&wtf

CHILDREN'S games and blocks, in almost endless variety, at J M Stookey & Co's 17 d&wtf

EARLY Breakfast cooking stove given in exchange for anything that it takes for housekeeping at Ashby & Andress.

Feb 1 tf

TRY those fresh bananas, Florida oranges, choice lemons, prunells, "Navy Blue" cigars, plug and smoking tobaccos, at HENRY EBERT'S, south corner of opera block March 15—d1m*

Our Variety and Quantity

In Laces, Corsets, Hosiery, Ruchings and Fancy and Toilet articles generally, cannot be excelled, and our prices are certainly lower than the lowest

8—d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

The Costumes of Our Grandmothers.

Cassell's Magazine.

Glancing at the fashion books of fifty and even seventy years ago it is curious to note how in many ways we are returning to the modes then in vogue. Nothing but short dresses were to be seen half a century ago; the skirts were just long enough to show the shoes and boots and were trimmed with satin rouleaux and bias folds. The fashionable colors were Christmas holly green, ponceau, camel's hair brown, Indian red, scarlet, pink, clarence blue, giraffe yellow, camelopard yellow, mocassa brown, apricot, olive, peau de serpent, burrage blue, Egyptian sand, and violet shot with bottle green,—for shot silks were coming in then, as they are with us now. The January of 1828 was particularly damp and cold, and silk and satin pelisses were the rage, but, like short Princesse dresses, reaching to the hem, with a lace cape over the shoulders. These pelisses were also worn in the evening, cut low in the neck, and showed robings of white satin in front. Shawls and scarf shawls were coming in also, and feather trimmings found special favor. The hats worn were large, and dress hats were adopted, with full evening dress, made of satin and gauze, with blonde lappets and plumes of ostrich or marabout feathers, or floral wreath birds of paradise being arranged inside and out. They were placed far back on the head. It is to be hoped that we shall not readopt anything so startling as a hat of paradise yellow, lined with crimson velvet, trimmed with white puffings and yellow ribbon, brocaded black, as worn by a belle of that day. There is much to learn in avoiding past follies. Our dresses have of late hung closely to the figure, but have never as yet attained the scantiness of those times. The skirts were always scanty, as well as short and trimmed often with one or two gathered flounces, scalloped at the edge, surrounded by one or two rows of straight satin rouleaux; the bodices full and banded, the sleeves large and puffed. Such bodices and puffed sleeves are coming in again, as well as short dresses for evening which may, and very likely will, resolve themselves into short Princesses, not unlike pelisses.

A Whopping Yarn.

Lincoln (Ill.) Leader.

A gold placer mine has, as we have mentioned heretofore, been discovered on Sugar creek, in the vicinity of Orendorf bridge, and Bill Strady has done nothing over six months past but work the mine. He reports that he finds plenty of gold—enough anyway to pay him for his work. About three months ago he brought a specimen to Jerry Friend. Mr. Friend examined it and pronounced it a fine specimen of gold, and said he could find ready sale for all the specimens he had like that. Bill thinks he has struck a bonanza.

A WONDERFUL DISCOVERY.

For the speedy cure of Consumption and all diseases that lead to it, such as stubborn Coughs, neglected Colds Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Asthma, pain in the side and chest, dry hacking cough, tickling in the throat, hoarseness, sore throat, and all chronic or lingering diseases of the throat and lungs, Dr. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY has no equal and has established for itself a world wide reputation Many leading physicians recommend and use it in their practice. The formula from which it is prepared is highly recommended by all medical journals The clergy and the press have complimented it in the most glowing terms Go to your druggist and get a trial bottle free of cost, or a regular size for $1.00. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur, Ill.

Homœopathic Remedies

And McCormack Bros.' Family Guide Chart, for sale at Dr A. J Stoner's drug store, Decatur, Ill. [Nov 7-d&wly

Just Received.

Great bargains in Kid Gloves—perfect in all respects, and only 35c. a pair, at Linn & Scruggs'. 6 d&wtf

50 Cents a Pair

For a very excellent three-button kid glove. Give it a trial. There is nothing like it in the city for the money. New goods, not job lots, or odds and ends.

1-d&wtf CHEAP STORE.

YOUNG GENTLEMEN, call and see the assortment of fine shoes at Barber & Baker's before you buy.

Nov. 26—d&wtf

SHELLABARGER'S patent process flour saves one-half the labor in baking, and will make more bread to the pound than any other flour ever sold here.

Dec. 18—d&wtf

Election Notice.

There will be an election of officers of the Decatur Greenwood Cemetery Association, held at the county clerk's office, between the hours of two and six p. m., on Tuesday, April 20th, 1880, for the purpose of electing a President, Secretary and Treasurer, and (3) three directors of said association. By order of the Board

R. R. MONTGOMERY, Sec'y.

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IF YOU WISH TO SEE THE

PRETTIEST, CLEANEST, LARGEST, BEST ASSORTED STOCK

—OF—

NEW SPRING CLOTHING

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The "BOSS CLOTHIER."

Elegant Designs in

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We wish to impress it upon the minds of everybody in want of CLOTHING, that we give you BETTER FITTING GARMENTS, TRIMMED IN BETTER AND MORE SUBSTANTIAL STYLE, and sell them for LESS MONEY THAN ANY HOUSE IN DECATUR. In short, we

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YOURS TRULY,

B. STINE,

"The BOSS CLOTHIER."

March 18, 1880—d&wtf

FINE HAND-MADE

HAVANA CIGARS

Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 1.
Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 2.
Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 3.
Kepler's Wabash, St. L. and P. No. 4.

SEEK NO FURTHER FOR FINE CIGARS.

KEPLER'S GREAT WABASH LINE OF FINE HAND-MADE HAVANAS is the production we place before the smoking public, and we guarantee these cigars to be just what we say they are; and we boldly say that at their prices they *have no superiors* in the market, nor do we intend they shall have The W., St. L. & P. No. 1 is a large 5-inch handmade Havana, made by experts, of the best Havana we have been able to find in the market. No 2 is a very fine hand-made 4½ inch Havana, and as a ten-cent or three for 25 cent cigar No. 2 has no superior. No 3 is the purest Havana hand-made 5 cent cigar that we or any one else can produce for the price, and we guarantee No. 3 equal in merit to two-thirds of the 10-cent cigars in the market. We challenge any expert to cut to pieces No. 3 and examine himself as to the truth of what we have said No. 4 is a fine 5 cent or 6 for 25 cent cigar, and contains more fine stock than nine-tenths of the cigars intended to be retailed at 5 cents straight. Fine cigars are better, richer, and more fragrant in smoke when fresh, than when old and dried out. We use no cheap, worthless flavoring extracts in our cigars, but we depend alone for their merit upon the fine stock of which they are made and the workmanship of expert cigar makers. We respectfully solicit a trial. Every cigar warranted a perfect smoker.

ANDREW KEPLER,

Feb. 25, 1880—d&w3mo BY TRUSTEES.

J. J. PEDDECORD. L. BURROWS. WM M. BOYD.

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BANKING HOUSE

—OF—

PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.,

JANUARY 1. 1879

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MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

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We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS!

On hand at all times, which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET RATES.

☞ A general Banking Business transacted, *but no interest paid on deposits*

Agents, Read This

We want an Agent in this County to whom we will pay a salary of $100 per month and expenses to sell our wonderful invention.—Sample free. Address at once SHERMAN & CO, Marshall, Michigan.

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $5 free. Address Stinson & Co Portland Maine. Novlld&w1y*

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WARREN & DURFEE

REAL ESTATE, INSURANCE, Abstracts of Title

Building Association

—AND—

Gas Company

REMOVED

Into the offices of the County Clerk, County Judge, and the Circuit Clerk and Recorder, where they will be found until their office is rebuilt.

Feb. 21, 1880—d&wtg

SHIRTS.

Unexcelled part and fits [illegible] to commence that they [illegible] manufacture.

Shirts Made to Order by us from [illegible] with Indelible Ink on Yoke, thus

WILSON BRO'S CHICAGO, CINCINNATI, ST. LOUIS.

Wilson Bros. &c

All Others are Falsely Represented

WILSON BROS.

Importing and Jobbing Men's Furnishers.

March 13—d1m

DRESSMAKING!

MRS. MASTERSON

Has opened dressmaking rooms over BLENZ' MEAT MARKET, south of the Tabernacle, and will be glad to receive the patronage of her old friends. Prices reasonable, and satisfaction guaranteed.

Decatur, March 30, 1880—d1mo

Grain Speculation

in large or small amounts. $25 or $25,000. Write W. T. SOULE & CO., Commission Merchants, 180 La Salle St., CHICAGO, ILL., for Circulars

March 15—d3mos

"Cheap Charley's" Corner

NOW WE ARE READY!

TO RECEIVE OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

IN OUR REMODELED STORE.

You know we have enlarged our quarters, and with the enlargement of the Store, we have also

GREATLY ENLARGED OUR STOCK.

WE CLAIM—and everybody knows that everything we claim is true, as we are not given to boasting—that we have now on our counters

THE LARGEST, THE NEATEST, THE BEST-SELECTED STOCK OF

CLOTHING,

FOR MEN, YOUTHS AND BOYS IN TOWN.

WE CLAIM FURTHER—That the goods made in our own Factory, 38 and 40 Madison St., Chicago, are of BETTER QUALITY, NICER PATTERNS AND BETTER FIT, than can be shown in Central Illinois.

AND WE CLAIM MORE—THAT THE PRICES ARE LOWER THAN ANY MAN WILL OFFER, simply because we made the goods ourselves out of material which was purchased before the rise in goods took place

WE CONTINUE TO SELL IN RETAIL AT WHOLESALE PRICE AND SAVE TO OUR PATRONS THE PROFIT WHICH OTHER RETAILERS HAVE TO PAY THE JOBBER

—OUR ASSORTMENT OF—

HATS, CAPS AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!

IS IMMENSE.

Not wealth, nor birth, nor rank nor state,
But GET RIGHT UP AND GIT that makes men great.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH

Manufacturers of

MEN'S AND BOYS'

Clothing!

Dealers in

Goods for Men's Wear.

Cor East Main & Water Sts.,

DECATUR.

Factory—Chicago, Illinois

March 29—d&wtf

The City Railway, Chicago, works 4,760 horses. Read what Supt. SQUIRES has to say:

We use exclusively Whittier's Liniment. It will pay all owners of horses to call or write.
M. W. SQUIRES, Supt. C. C. R. Co.

The Express Company work 370 horses. Read what Supt. KNIGHT has to say:

I have been using Liniment on the horses of the American and U. S. Express Co.'s stables for 24 years. I never met any that had one-tenth the merit of Whittier's Liniment. Our stables are open; call and see for yourselves.
H. KNIGHT, Supt. U. S. Ex. Co.

Read what Graves & Lomis, the largest breeders of horses in the State of Illinois, have to say:

For thirty years we have been using all kinds of liniment manufactured for horses, and, of all the liniments, Whittier's stands at the head of the list for Scratches, Greased Heel, Sprains, Galled Spots, and Sores of any kind. It will give all horsemen satisfaction.
GRAVES & LOMIS.

Scratches, Greased Heel, Thrush, Galled Spots from any cause, heal up in from two to three applications, and you can work the horse every day, and you can cure him at the same time It will take out all inflammation in a few moments.

There is no remedy on earth that equals Whittier's Liniment for

RHEUMATISM.

It will have the same effect upon the human. Piles, Scrofula, Scald Head, Catarrh, Pimples or Blotches on Face or Body, Old Sores or Fresh Cuts.

PRICE 50 CENTS AND $1.00 A BOTTLE.

DR. S. WHITTIER,

204 East Washington St., Chicago, Ill.

Nov. 12—d&wcow1yr

The Daily Republican.

D. K. HAMSHER. J. S. MOSSER.

HAMSHER & MOSSER PUBLISHERS

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

ENTERED at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 14, 1880

Congressional Convention.

The Republican voters of the XIVth Congressional District of Illinois, consisting of the counties of Champaign, Coles, Douglas, Macon, Piatt and Vermillion, are requested to elect delegates, by counties, to a Republican Congressional Convention for said district, to be held in the city of

MATTOON, COLES COUNTY, WEDNESDAY MAY 12th, 1880,

at the hour of 7:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates in said district, to be voted for at the November election of 1880, to fill the following offices, to-wit: Member of Congress, and Member of State Board of Equalization. Also to transact such other business as may properly come before such convention.

The basis of representation will be the vote cast for the republican candidate for congress in said district in 1878, to-wit: One delegate for every 400 votes, and one for each fraction of over 200 votes, producing the following result in the respective counties:

Champaign	9	Macon	8
Coles	6	Piatt	4
Douglas	4	Vermillion	6
Total			37

By order of the committee.

FRANCIS M. WRIGHT, Chairman.

H. P. BLACKBURN, Sec'y.

Urbana, Ill., March 30, 1880.

GRANT.

The dispatches to-day indicate that Gen. Grant will not reach Cairo until Friday noon, and will not leave until some time in the night. If this programme is carried out he will pass through Decatur sometime during Saturday forenoon. Notice of the exact time of his arrival will be given.

DEATH OF JUDGE VAN DORSTON.

The telegraph announces the death of Hon. J. P. Van Dorston, of Vandalia, which occurred yesterday, after an illness of six weeks. The judge was a native of Center county, Pa., and was 43 years of age. He was an officer of the Fourth Illinois Cavalry during the war, and after his retirement from the service settled in Vandalia. He was elected county judge by the Republicans, being the first man who was ever elected to office in Fayette county on that ticket. He was afterwards elected to the senate, and also served some time as U. S. district attorney for the southern district. He was a large-hearted, genial man, and had many friends in Decatur who will be pained to hear of his death.

THERE will shortly be some ground and lofty tumbling on the part of the fence-straddlers. They cannot always remain on the fence, for the issues are crowding upon them, and they have got to climb down or split. There are more "scratchers" just now than any other class perched upon the ragged edge of indecision.

HORACE WHITE, the ambitious young gentleman who was so unceremoniously kicked out of the *Tribune* by Citizen Medill, is now receiving many compliments from the democratic press. In a recent lecture in New York the gifted Horace informed his audience that the chief events in the life of Grant since he went out of the presidential chair had been hand shaking with the potentates of the old world; "and if," he added, "General Grant is re-elected, those potentates will accept the re-election, as they will have the right to do, as a vindication of themselves and the forms of government they represent." This bit of soaring logic touched the scratchers and democrats in a tender spot, and the verdant Horace will write the next anti-Grant circular.—*Inter Ocean.*

A REPORT is current of the intention of James Gordon Bennett to establish a chain of two-cent morning newspapers from New York to the Pacific coast, and including such cities as Buffalo, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Kansas City and San Francisco. It is understood that Mr. John Russell Young, who is to have the general management of the two-cent journalistic belt, was lately in Cincinnati for the purpose of making arrangements, and that he is now in the West engaged in preparing for the early inception of the large enterprise. The papers will, it is said, be backed by Mr. Bennett's capital, will share in the *Herald's* telegraphic system and facilities, and will be, like the *Herald*, independent as to politics.

THE belief in the efficacy of bull-dozing tactics appears to be innate in the Southern mind. Even Ben Hill has taken upon himself to threaten his Democratic compeers in the Senate, and to coerce them into following as he shall dictate. A Washington dispatch says that the Senator will resign from the Committee on Privileges and Elections in case the Democratic majority of the Senate refuses to sustain him in the Kellogg case. We hope that the dispatch is correct, and we further hope that Hill will carry his resentment still further, and resign his seat in the Senate, so that that body will number one less unscrupulous political trickster, and, if Jessie Raymond's story be true, one less immoral man.—*Chicago Journal.*

Our 50 Cent

Three-button Kid Gloves are excellent, and the best thing in the glove line in the market. CHEAP STORE.

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Shallenberger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. [Dec. 18-d&wtf

IDES OF APRIL.

The Old, Old Story, Almost as Old as Mankind.

Pittsburgh Dispatch.

With the middle of April usually comes the height of house-cleaning. Then the brow of the gentle housewife, though unclouded every other day in the year, assumes for a period—the husband thanks heaven that the period is very brief—a stern and ominous aspect which is eloquent warning that no trifling will be permitted on the part of anybody. The beginning of the event is announced in tones of appalling solemnity, and the masculine members of the family immediately see visions of all the horrors that can be concentrated into a fortnight of human life.

It is the old, old story, almost as old as mankind. Adam and Eve probably are the only civilized couple who were never vexed with house-cleaning. They experienced the happiness of living in a house which had no floors to scrub, walls to paper or ceiling to kalsomine. They had no carpets to take up, beat and tack down, no curtains to hang, no oil paintings—even from the nude—covered with a year's dust, to take down and rehang at the risk of head and limbs. It would be little wonder if the best idea of paradise should finally resolve itself into a picture of an existence in which there is no house-cleaning. At this time, and in this place, however, it is a feature of existence from which there is no escape. Hardly a man, woman or child but recognizes that house-cleaning is at hand, and that there is no avoidance of the annual or semi-annual ordeal. The people of this vicinity have even a keener sense of the forbidding nature of the season than others, for house-cleaning in Pittsburg means more than it does in any other place in the universe. There is no use in talking about reform which will do away with this repulsive labor. It is one of the evils of life which will not be reformed. Even the palace of happiness, which has been erected in fancies of poets and transcendental social philosophers, would have to undergo the same overhauling as the cottage of discontent, especially if the palace be located within reach of the soot and smoke of Allegheny county's soft coal.

But there is never a disagreeable thing in this world without its compensation, and if house-cleaning ruffles tempers and sets teeth on edge while it is in progress, its duration is short, and then comes the joyful sense of rest after turmoil and irritation. A cheerful appearance of cleanliness greets the eye everywhere. Dark walls are light, dingy carpets are bright, and the musty odors which greeted the olfactories before the dread day, are supplanted by an atmosphere divested of none of its original sweetness. After all, the dust and confusion and general sloppiness are angels in very dirty disguise, whose inevitable visit is a splendid incident for remembrance, but like many other visits, exceedingly disagreeable while in progress.

The Millers' Convention.

Kansas City Times.

The millers of the west and northwest are to have a grand international convention at Cincinnati on the 30th of May. Provision has been made for the entertainment of over 50,000 millers and manufacturers from this country, while between 1,500 and 2,000 Europeans, engaged in the milling interests, have signified their intention of being present. Ten complete flouring mills will be set up in the exposition buildings, and two of them will be from Europe. Next to the democratic national convention, this will prove the finest advertisement Cincinnati has ever had.

The Foreign Cattle Trade.

The American *Machinist* says there is good reason for concluding that live cattle will soon no longer in considerable numbers be transported to Europe. The favorite form of exportation will be that of dressed beef in refrigerator steamships. It is claimed that meat thus sent, because of its age, is more juicy and tender than that obtained from a fresh killed animal. Then, too, the saving in freight is large, for dressed meat occupies only one-third of the space needed for cattle, which also are liable to meet with accident or contract disease.

Blowing Hot and Cold.

From the Denver Times.

The threat that Kansas is too cold a climate for the colored man to live in, was well answered by a proposed emigrant from a southern state the other day. A white man was telling him of the climate when he asked. "Oh, Mars Bob, ain't dat Kansas de place de big squabble was over a'fore de wah, 'bout you white folks takin' de niggers to?" "Oh, yes," was the reply. "Wall, den, ef it was good for slave niggers, how comes it to be bad for free ones?" No answer when last heard from.

Better Times.

The business revival and new era of prosperity which is now fairly inaugurated, is in keeping with the increased health and happiness seen all over the land, and is one of the results obtained from the introduction of Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. "The changes wrought by this remedy," says Rev. Dr. Harvey, "seem but little less than miraculous."

Sold by W. C. Armstrong, druggist.

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WE keep everything in our line; low shoes, high shoes, big shoes, little shoes, broad shoes, narrow shoes, fine shoes or coarse shoes, and if you want any other kind of a shoe we will order it for you. We aim to please. Call and see us.

d&wtf BARKER & BAKER.

THEEBAW, THE INHUMAN KING.

King Theebaw, of Burmah, who is reported to have caused 700 men, women and children to be burned alive as a sacrifice for his restoration to health, is but 20 years old. Selected over his elder brothers to rule, he paid the ministers who had advanced him by imprisoning them. "Instead of these advisers of his father, he surrounded himself with men, or boys of his own age and tastes, and the palace became the scene of orgies conducted absolutely without restraint. Another article lately published regarding him says: "Another of Theebaw's acts, immediately after his accession, was to secure himself against palace plots by the simple process of killing all his relatives. A better idea of what this means can be gained by considering that the gay old monarch had fifty-three wives and 110 children, of whom thirty-seven wives and fifty-nine children survived him. It is impossible to say how many of these brothers, sisters, and step-mothers—so to speak—were killed, but eighty is a fair compromise estimate. It must not be imagined that they were disposed of with any sentimental tenderness. At first the victims were led from their cells in twos and threes to shekho to the King; then their heads were tied to their respective pairs of ankles, and blows with a heavy club on the backs of their necks ended their misery. But this soon proved too mild a spectacle for the fiendish malignity of Theebaw. One of his elder brothers professed utter scorn for what could be done to him, and was flogged to death. Another, who had looked upon foreigners as the dirt beneath his feet, and as utterly unworthy to crawl between heaven and earth, was taunted and driven to madness before receiving a half-fatal blow, and his writhing body was then thrown into the gigantic trench dug to receive the dead. A former Governor of Rangoon had his nose and mouth filled with gunpowder, a match applied, and he was also flung into the trench to be stifled by the succeeding bodies. One young girl of 16 was pitched into the same heaving grave after having suffered every outrage which could be devised by eight soldiers of the guard. The massacre was carried on in this leisurely fashion until Theebaw and the executioners wearied of the sport; then the women were simply battered over the head, and the children were swung against the palace walls. At last the victims were all killed, and the revolting spectacle was over, but Thebaw's plan—one not unusual in Burmah—was not successful, for the reason that at least three of his blood escaped, and one of them will probably succeed him. The area of Burmah (a country in the southeast of Asia, between India and China, and South of Thibet) is 192,000 square miles, and its population is 3,500,000. The revenue of the king is £800,000, with perquisites enough to make out the even million."

LOUISVILLE, April 13.—The convention of the republicans of the state to select delegates for the national convention at Chicago will be held at Masonic Temple to-morrow. The total number of delegates is 1,638, but it is thought likely that not more than 1,350 will be present in person or by proxy, and probably not more than 1,000 will attend. The main topic of discussion among all delegates is as to the advisability of instructing for Grant. Instruction for any other candidate is entirely out of the question. The Grant men say there is no doubt whatever that they will have their own way; that not only have nearly enough delegates actually instructed to vote for instructions, but a large majority of those who come here free to choose for themselves are in favor of Grant instructions for the Chicago Convention.

MEMPHIS, April 13.—Gen. Grant and party arrived this morning. The party was met at the station by a party of prominent citizens, and after an address of welcome had been made and replied to the party drove to a hotel.

A procession, at 10:30, of considerable dimensions escorted Gen. Grant to the court house square, where Col. Josiah Patterson delivered an address of welcome, and after a brief reply by the General a public levee was held. A vast throng, estimated at 15,000, surged about the grand stand, anxious to shake the General by the hand. Military companies at one o'clock escorted General Grant back to the hotel.

Gen. Grant met and talked with colored people this evening, and expressed gratification at the improving condition of their race.

CHICAGO, April 13.—The host of Grant's supporters are stirring themselves energetically in preparing for the grand mass-meeting at the Central Music Hall Thursday night, which a typographical error in the *Globe-Democrat* made read was to be held Tuesday night. The general sympathy with the object is extended with a unanimity that is surprising in the face of the efforts to excite a counter-action. It is more like the expression preceding Grant's visit than anything else, and Thursday night will witness the biggest and most enthusiastic meeting ever held in the Northwest.

OLNEY, ILL., April 13.—The city election passed off to day quiesly, resulting in the election of the entire Republican ticket, with the exception of one Supervisor.

NEW YORK, April 13.—The municipal election in Jersey City to-day resulted in large Republican gains, which will give the Republicans control of the Police and Fire Commissions, and probably of the Aldermanic Board.

TELEGRAPHIC

POLITICAL.

Murat Halstead on the Situation in Ohio.

GRANT'S JOURNEY.

Conventions and Elections.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Murat Halsted is in the city, and in conversation to-day intimated that the Sherman campaign in Ohio had been very badly managed. He admitted that in eastern Ohio the delegates to the state convention will be largely for Blaine; he also admitted that it was doubtful whether Secretary Sherman would be able to carry to Chicago a united delegation in support of his nomination as the representative of his own state. There is now considerable anxiety felt by political managers in anticipation of the dividing up of the Ohio delegation—as to where the Sherman strength will go after a possible complimentary vote. It is understood that the friends of the secretary will not attempt to instruct the Ohio delegation to support him as a unit at Chicago, and will allow the delegates to go there unhampered and prepared to act as circumstances may suggest. It is believed that much of Sherman's strength will go to Grant. Private advices received from ex-Attorney General Taft, Lieut. Gov. Hickenlooper, and other friends of General Grant, express great confidence that he will get a share of the vote of this state, and that upon leaving Sherman there is no probability whatever of any of this strength going to Blaine. Jos. B. Will, a citizen of the eleventh district of Ohio, who is just here from Athens, states that the report that Athens county instructed for Blaine was made out of whole cloth; that a majority of the delegation is for Mr. Sherman uncompromisingly and that the delegation is solid for him. While some of them have leaned toward Blaine all declare that Sherman ought to and will have their united vote.

NEW YORK, April 13.—Should Grant or Blaine be the republican candidate for president, Tilden will be the democratic nominee. He will not run against Hayes, Sherman, Washburne or Edmunds. He relies upon the Germans refusing to vote for either Grant or Blaine. Their Irish vote, he claims, is a thing of the past, disintegrated beyond the power of any man to combine or manipulate. This is the latest whispered about the presidential canvass.

The *Times* closes an article on the Kansas bolt thus: "No well-informed politician will for a moment believe that the so called bolting delegates from Kansas will receive any recognition at Chicago. Acting under their instructions, the representatives from that state who were selected by the regularly constituted convention will vote as a unit for James G. Blaine. Every honorable and self respecting man of the New York and Pennsylvania delegations, and there is no reason to assume that others have found places on them, will, under his instructions, vote for Ulysses S. Grant."

Ex-Senator Henderson, of Missouri, informed the new republican central campaign club, over which Sheridan Shook, well known in public life, presids, that he is pledged to the interests of Secretary Sherman in the presidential contest. He believed that Grant's candidacy would lead to the defeat of the republican party in the next canvass.

A statement made to a reporter is published that the law firm of which ex-Collector Arthur and District Attorney Phelps are members, has taken a retaining fee of $20,000 to see through the legislature an act in regard to the markets in this city, and to provide for the rebuilding of the same and the acquisition of land for market purposes.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 13.—A prominent Western Senator, who is a warm supporter of Senator Blaine, said to-day that the departure of General Logan for Chicago was regarded by the Blaine men as very significant, and forebode no good to their efforts to control the Illinois delegation. There is no attempt on Senator Blaine's part to disguise the fact that Illinois is the pivotal State, so far as his nomination is concerned. If he can prevent Gen. Grant from being indorsed by his own State, then the latter's candidacy is at an end, but if this fails, then General Grant's nomination is regarded as a foregone conclusion.

General Ewing made the closing speech on the Army bill in the House in the absence of Mr. Clymer, who has gone West to get married. Ewing undertook to answer in brief all the arguments put forth by the Republicans in opposition to the political "riders." He was frequently interrupted and greatly worried by Robeson and others.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., April 13.—The City Council of Cairo and the Grant Reception Committee have invited Governor Cullom and other State officers to attend the Grant reception there on the 16th. A part of the programme is that Grant shall visit the field of Belmont where he fought the first battle against the rebels. All Southern Illinois will attend the reception, but it is not certain that all the State officers can be absent on that date.

The Republicans of this county held their convention here this afternoon. There is an effort in progress to instruct the delegates to the State Convention for Grant, but it is believed the convention will not agree to this. Instructions will be given for Cullom, but William Jayne, Lincoln Dubois, Speed Butler, and perhaps other anti-Cullom men will probably be appointed.

CAIRO, April 13.—Gen. Grant will arrive in this city about noon on Friday, the 16th inst., and will be escorted through the streets of the city by various organizations to the place of public reception, where speeches of welcome will be delivered by the Mayor and Judge Wm. H. Green, of this city. In the evening there will be a ball and banquet at the St. Charles Hotel. A number of distinguished parties are expected to be present, Senator Logan and the State officers among them. Great preparations are being made and the committee soliciting aid is finding abundant encouragement.

CHICAGO, April 13.—In the appellate court, to-day an injunction was issued restraining the Chicago and Western Indiana Railroad from crossing the tracks of the Michigan Southern Railroad upon its entrance to this city. This injunction, if sustained, will compel the Western Indiana to purchase the right of way or remain out of the city for the present.

Whitewashing.

I will whitewash with either lime or whiting in the best style of the art on reasonable terms. Orders may be left on my slate under Roach & McReynold's store, south side city park.

March 31—d1mo JESSE WRIGHT.

If you want the best and cheapest hosiery and gloves, go to

may10-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

CATARRH

A PHYSICIAN'S TESTIMONY.

30 Years a Physician. 12 Years a Sufferer. Tried Regular Remedies. Tried Patent Medicines. Permanently cured by

SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE.

MESSRS WEEKS & POTTER,—Sirs: I have practised medicine for thirty years, and have been a sufferer myself for twelve years with Catarrh in the nasal passages, fauces and larynx. I have used everything in the *materia medica* without any permanent relief, until finally I was induced to try a patent medicine (something that we allopathists are very loth to do). I tried ——— and divers others until I got hold of yours. I followed the directions to the letter, and am happy to say I have had a permanent cure. Your RADICAL CURE is certainly a happy combination for the cure of that most unpleasant and dangerous of diseases.

Yours, respectfully,
D. W. GRAY, M. D.,
Of Dr. D. W. Gray & Son, Physicians and Druggists, Muscatine, Iowa.
MUSCATINE, IOWA, March 27, 1877.

The value of this remedy must not be overlooked in the cure of those

SYMPATHETIC DISEASES,

Affections of the Eye, Ear, Throat, Lungs and Bronchial Tubes which in many cases accompany a severe case of Catarrh. The inflamed and diseased condition of the mucous membrane is the cause of all these troubles; and until the system has been brought properly under the influence of the RADICAL CURE, perfect freedom from them cannot be reasonably expected.

It is but three years since SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE was placed before the public, but in that short time it has found its way from Maine to California, and is everywhere acknowledged by druggists and physicians to be the most successful preparation for the thorough treatment of Catarrh ever compounded. The fact will be deemed of more importance when it is coupled with the statement that within five years over 250 different remedies for Catarrh have been placed on sale, and to-day, with one or two exceptions, their names cannot be recalled by the best-informed druggist. Advertising may succeed in forcing a few sales, but, unless the remedy possess undoubted specific medical properties, it is absolutely certain to fall into merited obscurity.

Each package of SANFORD'S RADICAL CURE contains Dr. Sanford's Improved Inhaling Tube, with full directions for its use in all cases. Price $1.00. Sold by all wholesale and retail druggists and dealers throughout the United States and Canadas. WEEKS & POTTER, General Agents and Wholesale Druggists, Boston, Mass.

COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTER

IS SIMPLY WONDERFUL.

KINGSTON, MINN., April 30, 1877.
I consider COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTER the best plaster I ever saw, and am recommending them to all.
C. McMORROW

HUME, ILL., April 18, 1877.
It has done my boy more good than all other medicines. He now goes to school, for the first time in three years.
ELIZA JANE DUFFIELD.

EMMA, ILL., April 2, 1877.
I like the one I got well. They are the best plasters, no doubt, in the world. S. L. McGILL.

ASH GROVE, MO., March 29, 1877.
Accept my thanks for the good derived from the two COLLINS' PLASTERS sent me some time ago. W. C. MOORE.

COLLINS' VOLTAIC PLASTER

for local pains, lameness, soreness, weakness, numbness, and inflammation of the lungs, liver, kidneys, spleen, bowels, bladder, heart, and muscles. Is equal to an army of doctors and acres of plants and shrubs.

Price, 25 cents.

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A vegetable preparation and the only sure remedy in the world for Bright's Disease, Diabetes, and ALL Kidney, Liver and Urinary Diseases.

Testimonials of the highest order in proof of these statements.

For the cure of Diabetes, call for Warner's Safe Diabetes Cure.

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Warner's Safe Remedies are sold by Druggists and Dealers in Medicine everywhere.

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Send for Pamphlet and Testimonials.

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WE HAVE NO NEW GOODS!

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April 10—d&wtf.

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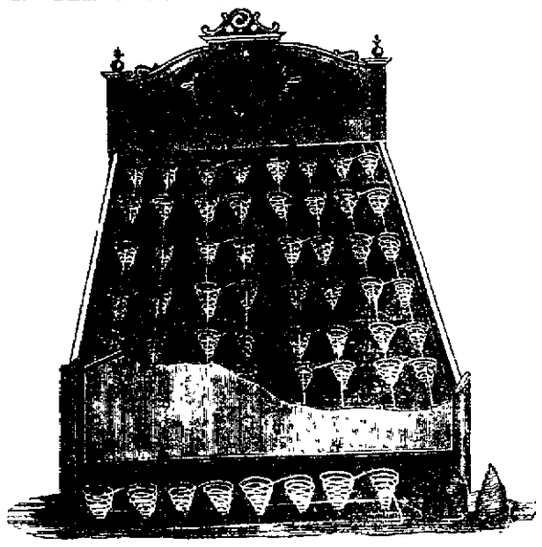

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No frame required, as we set the Springs in the slats of the bed and make them perfectly secure.

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Most convenient, cleanly, and durable.
Made of the best Spring Steel Wire, finely coppered.
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Each side of the bed acts independently, thus preventing any "sagging" to each side.
We propose to have them thoroughly tested. Will call at your residence and leave on trial.
We guarantee satisfaction or no sale.
We would caution all persons against buying any Spring Bed that in any way infringes on ours, as we intend to protect ourselves.

W. H. BIXBY, Gen'l Agent.

Leave orders at R. LIDDLE'S, Court House Block.

April 10, 1880—d&wtf

From Eminent Dr. C. C. Clark, Oswego, New York.

I have made sufficient experiment of Colden's Liebig's Liquid Extract of Beef and Tonic Invigorator, to enable me to say it is by far the best of all the preparations of the kind (FOOD AND TONIC) that I have ever used. To the sufferer from chronic diseases, or the convalescent, it is invaluable, being both nourishing and strengthening. Sold by druggists.

April 12d—&w1mo

Emmett at Home.

J. K. Emmett, the personator of German-American characters, has accumulated a large fortune. He has bought a place on the Hudson, near Albany, and begun the erection of a magnificent residence. There is a large music room, furnished with an immense orchestrion; the parlor is modelled after that of an English manor, with timbered roof, every room in the main story is an octagon, with a bay window and a balcony. A feature of the grounds will be a big windmill of the Dutch sort, which will pump water for a picturesque cascade.

Notice to Water Takers.

You are hereby notified that water rents are due quarterly in advance, viz. April 1st, July 1st, Oct. 1st, and January 1st, of each year, and must be paid at the Register's office. G P HARDY, Register.

April 13-d30d

Late as it Is

for Circulars, we offer them now at $1,50 less than they are marked. All our goods are marked in plain figures. Our Circulars are *all* of recent manufacture—new and stylish. CHEAP STORE.

14-d&w1w

LADIES' Underwear, in great variety and at the old prices, at

Apr10-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

LACE TIES and Fichus, in new designs, just received by Linn & Scruggs.

21-d&wtf

Picture Frames.

Largest assortment and lowest prices, at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s

April 3—d&wtf

Our Laces

Are handsome, and deserve your inspection. They are exceptionally cheap—Come and see them. CHEAP STORE.

Apr10-d&w1w

NOTICE.

To all whom it may concern:

You will take notice that the undersigned intends making application to the regular meeting of the city council in May, A. D. 1880, for a license to retail intoxicating liquors in a house situated on Lot No 18, in the Resurvey of Block No. 3, in the original town (now city) of Decatur; said house owned by Jacob Stutsman. JOHN DEEDS.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 14th day of April, 1880. [april4d2w

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine, Nov11-d&wly

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AMERICAN CHINA,

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Feb. 5—d&wtf

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500 OLD STOVES,

For which full value will be given in cash or trade at LIDDLE'S, Court House Block.

April 5—d&wtf

WANTED—

All kinds of Old Furniture and Housekeeping Goods, in any quantity. Full value given, by Tom Hughes, and John Jackson, at LIDDLE'S, Court House Block.

April 5—d&wtf

$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine, Nov11-d&wly

The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 14, 1880.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

"NOVELTY," "Little Bed on Wheels," and every other style of baby carriages, at E D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

—The Summer time is placing
Its crown on Nature's brow,
We feel its gentle zephyrs,
We see the new milch cow.

MAKE garden.

"EVANGELINE" to-night.

ATTEND the prayer meetings this evening.

RICE'S Evangeline Party are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

RUCHINGS and Embroideries at the Cheap Store. ap12d&w1w

"THE Drunkard's Dying Child" will be recited by Mabel Prescott at the tabernacle to-morrow night.

LACES, Laces, Laces! in endless variety, at the Cheap Store. [14-d&w1w

LARGE and luscious strawberries from the south, the first of the season, will be served at the tabernacle to-morrow night.

FICHUS, Lace and Silk Ties, at the Cheap Store. ap12d&w1w

CANDIDATES for county offices are beginning to get in their best licks. There is an abundance of good timber in the county for the places. The longest pole will knock the persimmons.

BEST family flour in the city at Niedermyer's, on the mound.

HOOP SKIRTS, the latest styles, made to order, on short notice, at Goldburg's, West Wood street. 19-dtf

IT is now stated that the reason the "haunted house" south of the city is still occupied by the Howards, is that Ida May has the measles.

BUY the McLean Rocking Chair at P. B. Provost & Son's. ap8dtf

FOR BARGAINS in Baby Carriages, go to April 14-d&wtf J. M. STOOKEY & Co.'s.

A PETRIFIED BABY will be on exhibition at the opera house entrance, commencing on Thursday morning, and continuing day and evening. Don't fail to see it. Admission, 10 cents. 13-d2

HAIR ORNAMENTS and novelties, of every description, at the Cheap Store. [81w

ALL who wish to unite with the Baptist literary society should attend the prayer meeting at that church to-night. The business will be attended to after the services.

LADIES, remember W. C. Armstrong's drug store when in want of fine toilet goods.

ALL styles of fashionable wall-paper—the best in the city, at Abel & Locke's.

IN obedience to a resolution adopted by the council on the 5th instant, Marshal Baker made the rounds this forenoon and notified business men to remove dry goods boxes and other obstructions from the sidewalks in front of their stores.

EARLY cabbage plants for sale at V. H. Parke's. 14-2d

THURSDAY next will be the 15th anniversary of the death of Abraham Lincoln, and memorial services will be conducted at the monument at Oak Ridge Cemetery, Springfield, commencing at 7:22 a. m., on that day.

ABEL & LOCKE have in stock a mammoth array of new carpets, which the public are invited to inspect.

DAILY papers, from Chicago, St. Louis, Denver and Decatur, are on file at John S. Campbell's sample rooms, on the corner opposite the Union depot. Lunch served every day at 10 o'clock 12-dtf

A LARGE number of diseases are caused by a disordered liver. Use Bromoline, the great Liver Regulator, and be cured. Sold by Decatur druggists. [13-d&w1w

CIRCULARS, of every style and color, at *greatly reduced prices*, at the Cheap Store. [8-d1w

CALL for sample dose Rinehart's Liver Pills; only *one* for a dose; warranted not to gripe or sicken. Sold by A. J. Stoner and J. T. Hubbard. [14-d&w1w

MORE $1.25 Chromos, and a great variety of other Pictures and Picture frames, at J. M. STOOKEY & Co.'s.
April 14—d&wtf

ORDER B. F. Taylor's carriage at W. C. Armstrong's drug store.

JUST RECEIVED, an immense stock of rattan chairs, new styles and patterns. Large chairs at about half the usual price, at ASHBY & ANDREWS'.
April 1-d&w2m

WE are in receipt of volume 1, number 1, of the *Peoria Freeman*, a weekly sledge-hammer democratic eight-column folio newspaper, edited and published by Gersh Martin & Co. Aside from its politics the *Freeman* is a model paper, and is pointed, newsy, and brave in the enunciation of the principles advocated. Mr. Martin is a journalist of years of experience, and lately occupied the editorial chair of the Peoria Daily *Democrat*.

FOR comfort and durability buy the McLean Rocker at Provost & Son's.
April 8-dtf

V. H. PARKE has at his agricultural rooms a full line of Buggies, such as phaetons, side-bar and elliptic spring, open and top buggies, spring wagons, etc., all A No. 1. No auction shoddy work, but first-class, and warranted so. Call and see them before you buy.
March 19-d3m

"A FRIEND in need is a friend indeed." Such a friend is Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup for coughs, colds, etc It costs 25 cents, 50 cents and $1.00 a bottle, and may save many a doctor bill. Sold by Decatur druggists. [13-d&w1w

LINN & SCRUGGS have just received a handsome assortment of new spring and summer silks. d&wtf

MONEY TO LOAN at 8 per cent. on farms Notes payable at Decatur.
Oct. 31—d&wtf J. M. CLOKEY

REMOCK your shoe bills by buying of Barber & Baker, d&wtf

REV. PHILIP GRAEF, of Springfield, delivered his fine lecture on "Florence, Venice and the Alps," at the tabernacle last night to six men and a sea of empty chairs. One of the auditors reports the lecture as one of the finest he ever heard, and says it was a shame so few were present. The truth of the matter is Decatur has had a surfeit of lectures of late, and we doubt if a man with a national reputation in this line could draw a paying audience here, even at 10 cents admission. Rev. Graef will not lecture to-night on "Rome," as was intended. He has left the city. We understand that Rev. Graef has been invited to deliver his course of lectures in Decatur next fall, and that a Philosophical society at Chicago are in correspondence with him with a view of arrangement for him there.

TO-MORROW night the principal attraction in the city will be the grand entertainment and strawberry festival at the tabernacle, to be given by the Cold Water Army. The entertainment will consist of songs and choruses, recitations, pictures of Longfellow's children, and the "Future Hope," by members of the Army. Preparations for this notable event have been in progress for a number of weeks, and we can assure our readers that they will be well entertained by patronizing this affair. After the performance strawberries, ice cream and other refreshments will be served. Admission, 10 cents.

JOHN DEEDS gives notice in to-day's issue that at the May meeting of the city council he will apply for a license to sell intoxicating liquors in the Jacob Stutsman building, on the west side of the old square, formerly occupied by Grabs & Gury. Mr. Deeds used to run a dramshop on the Levee, but when prohibition struck him in the spring of '79 he closed up and went to Macon, where he engaged in the same business. On the 20th Macon will vote on the license question, and as Mr. Deeds doesn't care to await the doubtful result, he will come back to Decatur and anchor again.

KEPLER'S cigar establishment, under the management of Enos Kepler and Jas. C. Campbell, is doing an immense business The facilities for manufacturing the four Wabash and other brands of cigars have been largely increased of late, and their cigar trade is simply enormous. Forty men and boys are daily employed in making cigars, and there are now nearly half a million in stock, and the orders are rolling in thick. George Kraft is in charge of the work room which is on the second floor of old Concordia Hall.

HENRY CHURCHMAN, the oldest constable in Decatur township, had an uncommon experience this morning. Armed with a writ of ejectment, he visited a house on South Webster street for the purpose of "throwing out" the occupants and their goods. The parties named in the writ had vacated last evening, and during the night two other families had taken possession Therefore there was nothing left for the surprised constable to do but—return to Justice Curtis and report.—Proceedings against the invaders are now in order.

THE Kate Claxton "Two Orphans" performance at the opera house last night was a tiresome, pokey and draggy affair from beginning to end, and a disappointment to many who had reasonably anticipated a rich treat. There is talent in the combination, but the aged, mournful-voiced "star" may be counted out. The set scenes and the costumes were beautiful and elegant, but the waits between acts were entirely too long drawn out—an imposition on our home orchestra and the audience as well.

A LARGE company of friends of the Methodist Woman's Foreign Missionary Society passed a very pleasant evening at the sociable held last night at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Kinney on North Church street. During the evening the annual election of officers of the society resulted as follows: President, Mrs. W. H. Rowell; Vice President, Mrs. W. J. Condell; Recording Secretary, Miss Maggie Crissey; Cor. Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Kinney; Treasurer, Miss M. M. Sargent; Asst. Treasurer, Mrs. Moses Stafford.

GO WITH the Odd-Fellows to Paris on the 20th. Fare for the round trip $1.50. The train will leave via the I, D. & S. to Chrisman, thence over the Paris & Danville road, early in the morning, and return at night.

TRY the Leon Isaac's Steel Pen; every one perfect. Sold only by J. M. Stookey & Co. [Apr 14-d&wtf

Coming Attractions.

Our readers in the city and country are again reminded that Jack Haverly's great Juvenile Pinafore Company—embracing 50 children, whose ages range from 8 to 14 years—will appear at the opera house in this city on Thursday evening, April 29th, with gorgeous costumes and new scenery. "Pinafore" will be given by this celebrated combination of little folks with much finer effect than the Church Choir Company, and will be thoroughly delightful and entertaining in every way—an entertainment that old and young should see.

Next comes Bartley Campbell's great success, "The Galley Slave," which will be presented on May 3d.

Buggy Horse for Sale.

For sale a fine young and gentle buggy horse, suitable for family use. Apply at home of Miss Lou Henkle, on South Webster street. 13-d5*

Wanted.

By a young lady who is learning the dressmaking trade, a place to work evenings and mornings for her board. Address through postoffice Winnie Dunn.

Ladies,

If you wish to see a complete stock of Hosiery, call at the
14-d&w1w CHEAP STORE.

Fun and Music To-Night.

This evening lovers of amusement will have an opportunity of witnessing a first-class entertainment at the opera house. The attraction is the appearance of Rice's original Evangeline party, who delighted a crowded house here two years ago. The Detroit *Free Press* gives the party this complimentary notice:

"The reappearance of Rice's Evangeline Company last evening was hailed by a very demonstrative and reasonably large audience. The popular extravaganza, from which the company takes its name, has lost none of its old-time attractiveness. On the contrary, since it was last seen here, two years ago, it has been materially strengthened by the introduction of considerable good music, and the engagement of M'lle Jarbeau, Louise Searle and Geo. K. Fortesque, who sustain the roles of 'Evangeline,' 'Gabriel' and 'Catherine,' in a manner to command genuine admiration. M'lle Jarbeau as Evangeline, is gracious and vivacious in action, and her singing is unexceptionable. The exquisite rendering of her duetts with Miss Searle, was acknowledged by vociferous applause and numerous recalls. Miss Searle's 'Gabriel' was an extremely 'natty' performance; and Mr. Fortesque's 'Catherine' was indescribably ludicrous, but nevertheless artistic. Harry Hunter has considerably elaborated the Lone Fisherman—a creation that stands alone, and that has provoked more laughter, perhaps, than any other conceit with which present theatre-goers are acquainted. The whole performance goes with a rush."

Admission, 75 and 50 cents.

Death of a Pioneer Preacher.

Rev. Wilson Pitner, formerly a member of the California Conference, died at his home in Spokane county, W. T., on the 2d of February, aged 74 years. He was admitted into the Illinois Conference fifty years ago.

The above is taken from the California *Christian Advocate* of April 7th. The deceased is a brother of W. C. Pitner, the photographer, of this city, and a brother of Rev. L. C. Pitner, now residing at Evanston, Ill. Rev. Wilson Pitner was born in Wilson county, Tenn., in 1806, and came to Illinois 50 years ago. He was the first Methodist divine to preach in Decatur, and is known to many of our old settlers. He went to California about 30 years ago.

DIED.

In this city on the 13th inst., the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gooddis.

The babe was but two weeks old, and was ill but a short time with the measles. The funeral took place from the family residence, No. 100 North Church street, this (Wednesday) forenoon at 10 o'clock.

In this city, Wednesday morning, April 14th, FRANCES, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bower.

Deceased was ill about two weeks with lung fever. The funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 62 East Main street, Thursday afternoon at three o'clock.

Warrensburg Newsy Notes.

The annual meeting of the Bible Society was held here last Sunday at the Church of God. The bible agent not being present, Rev. Mr. Sargent, of the Congregational society, opened the meeting with a good instructive address upon the "Origin and Work of the Bible Society." Rev. Mr. Reynolds, of the M. E. society, was the next on the programme, and he showed the importance of a revelation so that if asked "If a man die, shall he live again?" he could answer affirmatively.—He showed plainly that science or philosophy never could answer the question. Elder Jackson, of the Church of God, was introduced and made an interesting address upon the Parent Bible Society and its growth in 50 years. When the meeting adjourned it was to meet again next year at the M. E. church.

Mrs. S. Binkley returned last week from her visit in Pennsylvania. She was gone most a year. Her health improved but little while away.

Mr. J. N. Keefer's mother and his wife's mother and sister came last week to visit them from Pennsylvania. They expect to remain a number of weeks. Mr. Keefer took the train for Chicago Monday morning, to look after his and Rev. Reynolds' lowering device for coffins. He will be gone ten days or two weeks.

Mr Weekly, of Kenney, has moved here and established his plow factory. He does good work with his machinery—that is, propelled by Mr. D. N. Dunlap's steam power.

Mr. Walter Binkly is progressing finely with his new house that is being erected in the east part of town. His house will be quite an honor to our community.

Rev. Mr. Randall, of Harristown, preached in the Methodist church Sunday evening. At the close he announced a home entertainment in his church at Harristown next Friday night.

Our spring and summer schools opened last Monday morning. Mr. S. S. Mountz, as principal, and Miss Mary Stookey, assistant. The schools are full and bid fair to do good work.

Warrensburg, April 14, 1889.

Medical Notice.

There will be a meeting of the Decatur Medical Society at the office of Dr. J. Brown, on Thursday, April 22, 1880, at one o'clock, p. m. All members of the society are requested to attend.
R. TOBEY, Pres't.

WE WANT your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring.
d&wtf BARBER & BAKER

Wanted.

A house, (convenient to my place of business, No. 48 East Main street,) with about five rooms, well, cistern and stable.
April 9-dtf F. M. GARVER.

Malaria Destroyed.

G A. J. Gadbois, of Brockville, Canada, certifies that he was prostated by a malarial disease contracted in Texas, and was quickly and completely cured by the use of Warner's Safe Pills and Safe Bitters. He adds: "I shall never travel in that climate without your Safe Pills and Bitters as a part of my outfit."
Sold by W. C. Armstrong, Druggist.
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PERSONAL POINTS.

Rev S. M. Morton and Wm. Russell, of Jacksonville, are in the city.

George P. Sawyer and Ben Clark, two molders at P. Loeb's foundry, received Leap Year calls yesterday.

John King, prescription clerk at Theo. Hildebrandt's drug store, was in to see us last evening.

Rev. S. S. Hebberd will preach at the Universalist Church next Sunday morning and evening.

Joshua Baker has accepted a permanent position as salesman at S. Shupp's grocery store on North Main street.

Bloomington *Pantagraph*, 13th: Messrs. B. and Sol Stine, of Decatur, are visiting the family of Mr. Meyer Heilburn.

Harry J. Pike and W. W. Eden, of Sullivan, are at the St. Nicholas, and will take in "Evangeline" to-night.

J. M. Clokey, Esq., and family, arrived home this morning from a pleasant visit to relatives and friends at Springfield, Ohio.

John Moffett, the sentenced mail robber, has taken up his abode at Joliet, where he will remain less than three years if his deportment is good.

Miss Frances E. Willard is in Nebraska, agitating the temperance question and advocating the "Home Protection" plan of redemption from the rum business.

Miss Annie Griswold will sing a solo entitled "The Danube River," at the Cold Water Army entertainment at the tabernacle on Thursday night. Hear it.

Brad Dubois will leave for Bloomington to-morrow morning, and from thence will go to New York for a few weeks before returning to naughty Leadville.

Will Eversole, general agent for Billy McAllister's Minstrels, booked for the opera house Wednesday evening, April 21, was in the city to-day, and gave us a business call.

Robert Allen, brother of Capt. Allen, is in the city, and will remain here an indefinite period. He has been engaged in farming pursuits near Mexico, Mo., for a number of years.

Alderman McNabb, the architect of Linn & Scruggs' new building, is one of the busiest men in town these days. He has several other jobs on hand that require his personal attention and guidance.

Wm. O. DeVay, agent for the Cleveland Paper Co., was in the city on yesterday, and took our order for a big bill of paper, which will be used for a large job of printing now under contract.

Mrs. Dr. Buck, Mrs. W. T. Stamper and Mrs. J. L. Adams are in Springfield attending the annual meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of Illinois and several adjoining States, in session there.

Rev. Philip Graef departed for Springfield this afternoon. He made many friends in Decatur during his brief stay, is a polished gentleman of fine appearance, and is a master of several languages which he speaks fluently.

Elder Haynes shook 'em up lively on temperance at Assumption on Monday night. He asserts that that town will go for no-license on the 20th inst. Licensed whisky has been banished there for the past 12 months, and the people there want another year of prohibition.

John A. Dawson, of Casner Station, was in town to day. He has just received a handsome cornet worth $62, made in Paris, France, by Henry Gunther, presented to him by the eleven members of the Casner brass band. By the way, John is a young man of many parts. He is about 5 feet 8 inches in height, and weighs 140 pounds. He is a doctor, a merchant, a violin player, a preacher, a railroad station agent, superintendent of Sunday School, an amateur telegraph operator, a temperance orator, plays on a French harp, is a good striker in a game of base ball, a singer and a 4th of July orator. He is now a leader of the Casner brass band and proposes to bring it into notoriety during the coming campaign.

Kid Glove Boom.

Three, four and six-button Kid Gloves at 25 cents, only at Theo A. Gehrmann's.
14-d&w1w

Important!

Our stock of *Hosiery, Corsets, Underwear, Laces, Ladies' Furnishing* and *Fancy Goods*, for the spring trade, is now *complete* in every department, and those desirous of getting first-class goods cannot afford to overlook the fact that these are specialties with us. We purchase all our goods from first hands, and can offer you the best goods in the market at the closest legitimate prices. In our Notion Department none can compete with us
CHEAP STORE,
13-dw1w 18 Merchant st., old square.

New Fruit and Vegetable Market.

On and after Saturday, April 17, 1880, there will be found at the meat market of Imboden Bros. a full and varied supply of choice fruit and vegetables, to be sold at prices to suit the times. My facilities for handling vegetables, etc., are unexcelled, and my patrons can always rely upon getting the best and the freshest stock to be found in the city Give me a call. J. ALPAUGH.
April 13-d1w*

Cheaper Still.

I still have more bees than I can find time to take care of, and offer them at $4.50 per colony if two or more are taken at the same time. E. A GASTMAN.
April 12-d1w w2t

Handkerchiefs.

All linen, 7 cents; all linen tape border, 10 cents; all linen hem-stitched, 15 cents, and about 500 dozens of white and fancy border handkerchiefs at from 5 cents to 25 cents. CHEAP STORE.
April 12—d&w1w

Very Cheap.

200 dozen workingmen's mixed socks at 10 cents a pair. LINN & SCRUGGS.
April 7—dtf

RECEIVED to-day Ladies' Spring Circulars, Walking Jackets, Capes and Ulsters, very beautiful and cheap, at
March 6-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining in the Post-office, at Decatur, Macon co., Illinois, April 14, 1880.

Baker Harry	Moore S M
Barnes Mary	McDonald Miss A
Bryant J A	McGuire Mrs A
Boughn Miss Mollie	Park Bartob
Brasket Sarah I	Priser Aaron
Can Arebella	Prech Albert
Clayton James R	Parker Sophia
Duffey Kate	Price Kate
Foster Ambrose	Palm Capt T A
Funk James	Ritchie Dr G G
Goodner Geo	Randolph Miss Jessie
Goodyear Martin	Redman Paulina A
Housman Agnes	Schultz Anton
Horen M	Sleniseey Mr W
Howard Michael	Smith Nora
Howard M J	Tingly Frank
Harbarber Wm 3	Tingley Frank H
Littlejohn Hannah	Turner F F
Morris, carpenter and contractor	Veremburg Andrew
	Wiedick Josiah
Maxfield Eller	Wallace John
Moyer Josephine	Walker S M
Miller Louis A	

FOREIGN.

Dietz Adams	Toots Gurid
Lux Mr H	

R. P. LITTLE, P. M.

ANOTHER BUST UP!

Closing Out Sale of the Boston Boot and Shoe Store!

The whole stock will be sold out at 60 cents on the dollar, and within 60 days. If you value money don't fail to call, as the prices we are selling out our boots and shoes astonishes everybody. You can save from $3 to $5 on your foot wear for the coming season. Sale to commence April 12, 1880. This will be the cheapest shoe sale on earth, so *come one and all*. Don't forget the place, 49 North Water street, Opera House Block, next to Strohm's grocery store, near the northwest corner of the park.
R. E. MACK, Receiver.
April 12-d6w2

Kid Gloves.

While we do not warrant the 30 cent kid glove we risk nothing in saying that they are well worth the money and more too. To those who have bought them and growled because they didn't last a year, we would say that we are not responsible for that, and when they buy a cheap kid glove they must not expect it to last and wear like a fine or high-priced one. *Our* cheap kid gloves are the best in the market for the money. If you want a genuine fine glove we can offer you a superior article for one dollar, and *warrant* them CHEAP STORE.
9-d&w1w

REV. Geo H Thayer, of Bourbon, Ind., known to every one in that vicinity as a most influential citizen and Christian minister of the M. E. Church, says: "I wish everybody to know that I consider that both myself and wife owe our lives to SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE." Drs. Matchett & France, physicians and druggists of the same place, say: "It is having a tremendous sale, and is giving perfect satisfaction such as nothing else has done. For Lame Back, Side or Chest, don't fail to use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. We recommend these remedies." Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

Do You Believe It.

That in this town there are scores of persons passing our store every day whose lives are made miserable by Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Sour and distressed Stomach, Liver Complaint, Constipation, when for 75 cents we will sell them Shiloh's Vitalizer, guaranteed to cure them. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY, A marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diptheria, Canker Mouth and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious nasal injector for the more successful treatment of the complaint, without extra charge.—Price 50 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner.
Oct. 1-d&w1y

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—AND—
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—AT THE—
TABERNACLE,
THURSDAY Eve., APR. 15
For the benefit of the
COLD WATER ARMY.

PROGRAMME OF ENTERTAINMENT:

Art Gallery.
Song by Army—"Come When You Will."
Recitation—Miss Edith Entertains her Sister's Company—Grace Brockway.
Quartette—Little Brother—Misses Maud Durfee, Ella Stafford, Masters Walter Addis and Percy Myers.
A Verse for Every Month—By girls of Army.
Recitation—The Drunkard's Dying Child—Miss Mabel Prescott.
Picture—Longfellow's Children—By members of Army.
Solo—Danube River—Miss Annie Griswold.
Recitation—Jane's Conquest—Miss Mary Armentrout
Quartette—Little Brown Church Where We Met—Misses Mary Armentrout, Della Coraman, Ottie Riley and Mollie Beall.
Picture—Future Hope—Members of Army.
Song—Good Night—By Army.

☞ After the rendition of this programme,

STRAWBERRIES, ICE CREAM!
and other refreshments will be served
ADMISSION, - - - 10 CENTS.
April 13—d3d

Great Bargains
—IN.—
NEW GOODS!

800 dozen Ladies' and Gents' Linen Handkerchiefs will be opened this week and sold at half their value.
500 pieces New Prints, at 6¼ cents, now open.
1000 dozen Ladies,' Men's and Children's Hosiery, from the best goods down, to 5c a pair.
3000 pieces Handsome New Ribbons, at 10 and 15 cents, worth 20 and 30c.
Black Silks and Black Cashmeres, cheaper than you can buy them anywhere.
Bleached and Brown Muslins, at and under New York wholesale prices.
300 pieces Ginghams, at 10c, worth 12½c.
Table Linens and Napkins, at old prices.
Ladies' Kids, at 35c a pair.
Handsome Ruchings, Bows and Scarfs.
1000 pieces Hamburg Embroideries, at extremely low prices.
A splendid assortment of Laces and Dress Trimmings.
Imported and American Dolmans, Mantles, Circulars and Jackets.
An Elegant Assortment of
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LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 18, 1880—d&wtf

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CURTIS & EWING,
JEWELERS,
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April 3, 1880—d&wtf

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March 5—d&w3mos

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Departure of Trains at Decatur Station:

Main Line.

GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express	7:00 a. m
" 3 Fast Line	4:35 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail	3:30 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express	10:45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express	11:50 a. m
" 6 Accommodation	7:00 p. m

☞ The following Freight trains will carry passenger tickets:

No. 43 [illegible]	9:45 a. m
No. 45 [illegible]	1:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express	6:00 a. m
" 43 Fast Line	4:40 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail	3:05 p. m
Freight	7:30 a. m.

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express	10:25 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express	12:40 a. m
" 46 Accommodation	9:35 p. m
" 54 Accommodation Freight	5:30 a. m

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THE NEW TIME-TABLE IN EFFECT FEB. 9, 1880.

TRAINS BOUND WEST.	No. 9. Through Freight.	No. 7.	No. 5.	No. 3.	No. 1.	STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.	No. 8. Through Freight.	No. 10.
	FREIGHT.	PASSENGER.					PASS'NGER.			FREIGHT.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Leave. Indianapolis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Arrive. Indianapolis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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GEO. ELLIS, Supt. H. B. [illegible], Gen'l Freight and Pass. Agent. Indianapolis, Ind.

Champaign, Havana & Western Railway.

	GOING WEST.		GOING EAST.	
[illegible]	4 20 am	9 00 am	6 50 pm	8 [illegible] pm
[illegible]	7 00	8 30	5 35	4 [illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	8 05	5 17	3 57
[illegible]	6 40	8 50	5 00	3 45
[illegible]	6 45	9 05	4 45	3 30
[illegible]	6 25	9 25	4 25	3 10
[illegible]	...	9 00	6 00 pm	...
Mackville	...	9 55	4 30	...
Allerton	...	10 10	4 25	...
Cisco	...	10 20	4 10	...
[illegible]	...	10 35	3 45	...
[illegible]	...	11 15	3 20	...
[illegible] Ar.	...	11 40	3 00	Lv.
[illegible]	9 35 am	7 15 am	4 25 pm	8 05 pm
[illegible]	10 25	7 35	3 40	5 47
Weldon	10 45	7 45	3 20	5 26
[illegible]	11 45	8 13	2 25	4 30
Lincoln	2 15 pm	9 12	1 50 am	4 10
Mason City	4 05	10 02	10 00	3 25
Havana	5 30	10 50	8 00	2 30

[illegible] A. H. WOOD, Gen'l Manager. Gen'l Sup't. [illegible] Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent, Urbana, Ill.

For through tickets and further information, address W. S. MARSHALL, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, Jan. 12th, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING SOUTHEAST.

Indianapolis Passenger	8:00 a. m.
Mail and Express	4:35 p. m.
Through Freight	3:04 a. m.
Way Freight	8:10 a. m.

GOING NORTHWEST.

Mail and Express	11:44 a. m.
Indianapolis Passenger, arrive	9 00 p. m
Through Freight	4:10 a. m.
Way Freight	7:50 a. m.

N. E. ADAMS, Agent.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

Decatur, Saturday, Jan. 31, 1880.

On and after to-day, until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger	10:05 a m
Passenger	6:25 p m
Freight	9:20 a m

GOING NORTH.

Passenger	[illegible] m
Passenger	3:20 p m
Freight	4:30 "

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TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Sept. 15.	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Leave.			Arrive.	
No. 3.	No. 1		No. 2.	No 4.
7.00 am	4.10 pm	Decatur.	3.55 pm	10.00 pm
8.17 "	5.08 "	Mt Pulaski	2.47 "	8.35 "
8.52 "	5.28 "	Lincoln	2.26 "	7.52 "
9.50 "	6.11 "	Delavan	1.41 "	6.50 "
10.05 "	6.65 "	Pekin	1.10 "	5.45 "
11.20 "	7.20 "	Peoria	12.30 "	5.00 "

Freight leaves at 1:30 p. m.

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 12, 1878.

DECATUR POST-OFFICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails.

MAILS ARRIVE

Wabash Night Line East and West	5:20 a. m.
Ill. Cent. from South	1:00 a. m.
P. L. & D. " "	12:20 a. m.
Chicago and Dubuque (via Foreston)	10:30 a. m.
" " Burlington (via Mendota)	10:30 a. m
L. B. & W. " "	11:50 a. m.
Wabash from West	12:00 m
St. Louis Division " "	12:00 m.
I. D. & S. " "	12:00 m.
Midland from East	12:00 m.
Wabash " "	3:00 p. m.
D. M. & Sullivan	4:00 p. m.
Midland from West	5:00 p. m.
I. C. R. R. from North	6:30 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE.

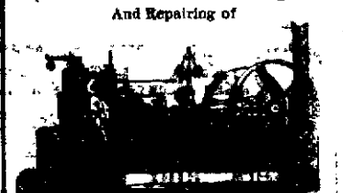
D. M. & Sullivan	10:00 a. m.
Wabash East	11:15 a. m.
Midland West	11:15 a. m.
I. D. & S. "	12:45 p. m.
L. B. & W. "	3:30 p. m.
Wabash West	3:00 p. m.
St. Louis Division "	3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Dubuque west of Foreston	3:00 p. m.
Chi. and Burlington " " Mendota	3:00 p. m.
P. L. & D. " "	3:50 p. m.
Midland East	3:50 p m.
I. C. South " "	6:00 p. m.
Wabash East and West (night line)	7:20 p. m.
I. C. North " "	6:20 a. m.

Jan. 23, 1880. R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

PLUMBING!

Gas and Steam Fitting,

And Repairing of



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Decatur, Illinois.

July 3, 1879—d1y.

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

Macon County Circuit Court.

Timothy Logan and Joseph Q. A. Odor, executors of the last will and testament of Hugh Logan, deceased, vs. Mary A. McMillin, Malcomb C. McMillin, William O. McMillin, Frances L. McMillin and Samuel F. Greer.—Bill to foreclose trust deed.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1879, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Monday, 19th day of April, A. D. 1880,

at the hour of two o'clock p m. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. three (3), in block No. one (1), in John Williams' addition to Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., March 12, 1880.

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
THORNTON, ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Solicitors for Complainants.
March 12—d4w

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W. C. JOHNS, Secretary.
Champaign, April 1, 1880. [apl8wtd

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County,

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1880.

Charles A. Kinkaid vs. Sarah Stump, et al.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that there is a certain suit now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein Charles A. Kinkaid is complainant and Sarah Stump, Elizabeth Durflinger, Philip Durflinger, Mary Lang, Maria Redman, Frank Redman, Cenanthus Iden, George Iden, Fillmore Stump, Mary Ricketts, Thomas Ricketts, John W. Stump, Susan Stump, Florence Thompson, Veese Thompson, William H. Stump, Samuel M. Stump, Alinda J. Weekly, Clara N. Stump, A. R. Stump and Ella A. Stump, Mary Stump, Elvira Stump, Maria Stump, and the unknown heirs of John W. Stump, deceased, are defendants; that summons is issued in said cause out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the court house in Decatur, county of Macon, State of Illinois, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1880. Now, unless you, the said defendants, shall be and appear and answer said bill, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

Dated at Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, the 30th day of March, A. D. 1880.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

BUNN & PARK, Complainant's Solicitors.
March 30—d4w

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TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, James M. Bell and Nancy L. Bell, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did, on the sixteenth day of April, A. D. 1878, by deed of trust convey to Charles A. Ewing, trustee of same residence, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Twenty-five (25) feet off the south side of lot five (5), eight (8) feet off the north side of lot six (6) and thirty-three by fifty (33x50) feet of lot seven (7), described as follows, to-wit: commencing thirty-two (32) feet from the southwest corner of lot seven (7), thence east fifty (50) feet, thence north thirty-three (33) feet, thence west fifty (50) feet, thence south thirty-three (33) feet to place of beginning, all in block three (3) of the South Addition to Decatur, Illinois, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section five (5), and the east half of the northwest quarter of section eight (8), in township fifteen (15) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, in trust, to secure the payment of two certain promissory notes given by the said James M. Bell and one Jesse Greenfield, of even date therewith—one of said notes for two thousand five hundred and ninety dollars, payable seven months after date to J. Millikin & Co., at the banking house of J. Millikin & Co., and the other of said notes payable to the same parties at the same place, and for a like amount twelve months after date, both with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date, value received, and upon which notes there is due this February 13th, A. D. 1880, five thousand six hundred and five dollars and ninety-three cents ($5,605.93);

And whereas, it is provided in said deed of trust that if default be made in the payment of either interest or principal of said indebtedness secured by said deed of trust, then said trustee shall sell and dispose of said premises according to the provisions of said deed of trust;

And whereas, default has been made in payment of principal and interest of said indebtedness, and the legal holders of said notes having made application to the undersigned to proceed to sell said premises in compliance with the terms of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the

Seventeenth day of April, A. D. 1880,

at two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the foot of the main stairway leading to the circuit court room, in Decatur, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, the above described premises and all right, title and interest and equity of redemption of said James M. Bell and Nancy L. Bell, their heirs and their assigns therein. CHARLES A. EWING, Trustee.

Feb. 13-dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
County of Macon

In the Macon County Circuit Court at the May Term, A. D. 1880.

Albert G. Williams by Amanda C. Robertson, his next friend and guardian, and Mary Elizabeth Williams vs. Robert T. Williams, Garret D. Williams, Lutie Williams, Caroline Wilson, Frank Wilson and Mary Everitt, In Chancery—Petition for Partition.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Lutie Williams and Mary Everitt, two of the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to said Lutie Williams and Mary Everitt, that the complainants have heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court against said defendants, returnable on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1880 and that said bill is still pending in said court and undetermined.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Lutie Williams and Mary Everitt, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1880, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, March 27, 1880.
ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT for complainants.
March 27—d1w

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Redemption Notices.

To Elizabeth Ekel and all other parties interested:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes of the year A. D. 1877, M. P. Murphey purchased the following described premises, to-wit: The east half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-five (35), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the 3rd principal meridian, 80 acres, and received therefor a tax sale certificate of purchase signed and delivered to him by H. W. Waggoner, clerk of the county court of said county; which said certificate of purchase was assigned to me by the said M. P. Murphey in writing on the back thereof on the 14th day of December, A. 1878; said premises being taxed in the name of Elizabeth Ekel, and the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the sixth day of July, A. D. 1880.

HERMAN MYERS, Assignee.

April 3—d3w

To Elizabeth Ekel and all other parties interested:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year A. D. 1877, J. H. Durfee purchased the following described premises, to-wit: The southwest quarter [¼] of the northwest quarter [¼] of section thirty-five [35], township sixteen [16] north, range one [1] east of the third principal meridian—40 acres, and received therefor a tax sale certificate of purchase signed and delivered to him by H. W. Waggoner, clerk of the county court of said county; which said certificate of purchase was assigned to me by the said J. H. Durfee in writing on the back thereof the 13th day of December, A. D. 1878; said premises being taxed in the name of Elizabeth Ekel, and the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.

HERMAN MYERS, Assignee.

April 3—d3w

REDEMPTION NOTICE.

To Michael Hackett and all parties interested:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1878, for the taxes for the year 1877, we purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Eighty (80) feet middle part outlot No. two (2) of William Martin's Addition of outlots to Decatur, taxed in the name of Michael Hackett, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1880.

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March 29—d3w*

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of JOSEPH KIRKENDALL, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Joseph Kirkendall, dec'd, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the county court of Macon county, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of May, A. D. 1880, being the first day of said term.

Decatur, Ill., April 5th, A. D 1880.

WM. B. CRAYCROFT, Adm'r.

April 5—d3w

Administrator's Notice of Final Settlement.

To Emma Grabill, Frank Veech, Walter Veech, Barton Veech and Alexander T. Veech, heirs of A. T. Veech, deceased, and all others interested:

NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned will, on the 19th day April, A. D. 1880, file his final report as administrator of the estate of A. T. Veech, deceased, in the office of the county court of Macon county, Illinois, and ask that the same be approved by the court, and that he be discharged, at which time you can appear if you see fit so to do.

JOHN VEECH, Administrator of estate of A. T. Veech, dec'd

April 5—dtd

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J. IMBODEN,
C. M. IMBODEN.

Decatur, Ill., April 1, 1880—d2w

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Andrew J. Stoner and against Douglass Morris, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot ten (10), in block fourteen (14), in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon co., Illinois. Taken as property of the said Douglass Morris, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 29th day March, A. D. 1880.

M. FORSTWEYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

March 29—d3w

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Aug. 19—d&w6mos*

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—AND—

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